



BEGINNING BALLET

Preschool- 3rd Grade

Coordinator: Ray Baldonade

Class Description: This will be open to Preschool thru 3rd graders. This is a beginning class. We will learn the proper way to stand, hand and feet positions and some rudimentary center floor techniques. Students are encouraged wear ballet slippers. Tights and leotards are optional. Maximum of 12 students.

Enrollment: There is no uniform requirement for this class. You may participate in stockings or slippers which can be obtained on the internet or from most local ballet schools. You may purchase any color leotards but tights and slippers should be in pink or white. Skirts (if any) should be short not knee length. I must be able to see the knees.

Instructor: *Ray Baldonade trained at The San Carlos Ballet and later toured with The Santa Clara Ballet dancing in their production of the Nutcracker. He also spent his summers at The San Francisco Ballet School. Recently, Mr. Baldonade has danced with The Dance Elite Academy, annually reprising his role as Herr Drosselmeyer in their production of the Nutcracker. He is currently working with Placer Theater Ballet's production of the Nutcracker.*

Any questions or concerns contact:

Ray Baldonade at rbaldonade@mmcharter.org



Place: D2

Day: Mondays

Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30

Oct. 14, 21, 28

Time: 2:00 – 3:00

Please return bottom portion with payment to *Mr. Baldonade* by the first class meeting.

Program Contribution for ENRICHMENT CLUBS: \$20

- The VPC for Enrichment Clubs covers teacher's fee, supplies & equipment for the clubs
- If you need scholarship assistance with the VPC for Enrichment Clubs, please check the box (Scholarships may be repeated once.)

Student Name:

Classroom:

Grade:

Parent Name:

Phone#:

Parent email address:

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